# Beyond the November 2015 Numbers...

Additional Data after Release of Indiana's Monthly Employment Report

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At 4.4%, the Hoosier unemployment rate remains at its lowest level since August of 2001.

Indiana is now 19,100 Private Sector jobs above March 2000 peak employment levels.

- Indiana's unemployment rate decrease of -6.4% from July, 2009, the low point of employment, and -4% since January 2013 both rank 2<sup>nd</sup> in the U.S.
- Indiana's unemployment rate decrease of -1.5% over the past year also ranks 2<sup>nd</sup> in the U.S.
- The Hoosier labor force has grown by 98,055 individuals since January 2013, which leads the Midwest.
- Indiana's labor force participation rate has outperformed the national average for 19 months in a row. (Indiana's rate increased to 63.7% vs. 62.5%.)
- Since July 2009, Indiana has added 308,500 Private Sector jobs, which ranks 12th in the nation. (+138,800 since January 2013, or +5.6%.)
- The Hoosier State has also added the 2<sup>nd</sup> most Manufacturing jobs (+94,500) in the U.S. since July 2009, at a rate that ranks 2<sup>nd</sup> in the nation (+22.1%).
- Indiana has grown the 3<sup>rd</sup> most Manufacturing jobs in the U.S. over the past year (+8,300).
- Indiana continues to have the highest concentration of private sector Manufacturing jobs in the U.S.
- Indiana's November Construction growth of +2,500 ranks 11<sup>th</sup> in the U.S., at a rate of +2.3%, which ranks 8<sup>th</sup> in the nation.
- Indiana has added 20,500 Trade, Transportation and Utilities jobs over the past year, which ranks 5<sup>th</sup> in the nation, at a rate of +3.5%, which ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> in the U.S.

#### **Midwest Labor Force Growth**

State	January 2013	August 2015	Difference	% Change
Illinois	6,586,443	6,540,617	-45,823	-0.70%
Indiana	3,182,301	3,280,356	98,055	3.08%
lowa	1,653,871	1,706,213	52,342	3.16%
Michigan	4,701,649	4,763,700	62,051	1.32%
Minnesota	2,963,629	3,006,962	43,333	1.46%
North Dakota	403,511	410,924	7,413	1.84%
Nebraska	1,021,506	1,012,599	-8,907	-0.87%
Ohio	5,721,041	5,711,205	-9,836	-0.17%
South Dakota	443,697	454,695	10,998	2.48%
Wisconsin	3,081,620	3,096,594	14,974	0.46%
Kentucky	2,050,203	1,935,130	-115,073	-5.61%

#### **Private Sector Growth**

o Indiana ranks 12<sup>th</sup> in nation in jobs added since July 2009 (the low-point of employment)

State	Jobs Added	Rank
California	2,003,500	1
Texas	1,587,400	2
Florida	1,034,300	3
New York	884,700	4
Michigan	505,500	5
Georgia	442,700	6
Ohio	432,700	7
North Carolina	405,200	8
Washington	340,000	9
Illinois	329,500	10
Pennsylvania	327,800	11
Indiana	308,500	12

## **Manufacturing Growth**

o Indiana ranks 2<sup>nd</sup> in the nation in jobs added since July 2009 (the low point of employment in Indiana)

State	Jobs Added	Rank
Michigan	157,100	1
Indiana	94,500	2
Ohio	77,200	3
Wisconsin	47,900	4
Kentucky	34,500	5
Texas	33,500	6
Tennessee	28,700	7
Washington	28,100	8
Georgia	25,600	9
North Carolina	23,500	10

o Indiana ranks 2<sup>nd</sup> in the nation in rate of growth since July 2009 (the low point of employment in Indiana).

State	Rate of	Rank
	Growth	
Michigan	35.1%	1
Indiana	22.1%	2
South Dakota	20.3%	3
Idaho	19.0%	4
Kentucky	16.4%	5
Utah	12.7%	6
Oregon	12.6%	7
Ohio	12.6%	8
Colorado	12.0%	9
Wisconsin	11.3%	10

Indiana ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> in jobs added over the past year.

State	Jobs Added	Rank
Michigan	19,700	1
Ohio	11,600	2
Indiana	8,300	3
North Carolina	7,900	4
Kentucky	7,800	5
Florida	7,700	6
Georgia	6,000	7
Utah	5,300	8
Idaho	5,200	9
New Jersey	4,200	10

## **Construction Growth**

o Indiana ranks 11<sup>th</sup> in nation in jobs added in November

State	Jobs Added	Rank
Florida	10,600	1
New York	9,100	2
Texas	9,000	3
Massachusetts	4,800	4
Ohio	3,900	5
Arizona	3,800	6
Iowa	3,700	7
Michigan	3,300	8
Minnesota	3,300	8
Wisconsin	3,100	10
Indiana	2,800	11

o Indiana ranks 8<sup>th</sup> in rate of growth in November.

State	Rate of	Rank
	Growth	
Iowa	4.6%	1
Massachusetts	3.6%	2
Vermont	3.5%	3
Minnesota	3.2%	4
Arizona	2.9%	5
New York	2.5%	6
Florida	2.5%	7
Indiana	2.3%	8
Alaska	2.2%	9
Michigan	2.2%	10

## **Trade, Transportation & Utilities Growth**

o Indiana ranks 5<sup>th</sup> in the nation in jobs added over the past year.

State	Jobs Added	Rank
California	66,400	1
Florida	45,600	2
Texas	42,200	3
Georgia	22,100	4
Indiana	20,500	5
Washington	18,400	6
Tennessee	16,300	7
New Jersey	15,400	8
North Carolina	13,300	9
Ohio	11,500	10

## Trade, Transportation & Utilities Growth Continued...

o Indiana ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> in rate of growth over the past year.

State	Rate of	Rank
	Growth	
Alaska	3.8%	1
Idaho	3.6%	2
Indiana	3.5%	3
Washington	3.2%	4
Florida	2.8%	5
Tennessee	2.7%	6
New Hampshire	2.6%	7
Oregon	2.5%	8
Georgia	2.5%	9
South Carolina	2.4%	10